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One-tier government could cost as much as it saves, survey says

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

County taxpayers could save an estimated $700,000 a year if there was only one level of local government.

However, it may cost that much to implement a one-tier government.

At Wednesday's county council meeting, reeves and deputy-reeves pored over the results of two cost analyses. One was prepared by local clerk-treasurers. The costs of running all 10 municipalities plus a county government was compared to the expected cost of running a county government only. Roads superintendents did a similar cost comparison.

A main problem with one centralized government is the need for one centralized office, said Warden Murray Fearrey. The existing building in Minden is not big enough and the entire computer system would have to be upgraded. Savings would come from staff layoffs, so initially there would have to be severance payouts.

Then there's the whole issue of access. Someone from Ox Narrows or Cardiff shouldn't be expected to drive to Minden for a building permit. There would need to be satellite offices in many of the outlying communities, thus pushing the costs of government back up.

Councillors such as Snowdon Reeve George Simmons said that in making their reports, the clerks and road superintendents could not have been expected to make political decisions which might allow for even greater staff saving. The reports are good, he said, but the expected costs of one-tier government could be less.

While council did not dismiss

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THE LEGION'S FALL COLOURS DISPLAY: On Sunday, Legionnaires from a possible 56 branches, including 143 people carrying colours and 150 more joining the parade, took part in an annual Drumhead service, which this year was held in Haliburton. Here, members of the colour party march down Haliburton's main street on the way to Head Lake Park.

Family Services' future is in jeopardy

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

It's not looking good for Family Services of Haliburton County.

The agency, which was supposed to oversee the amalgamation of all children's services under one roof, now has three of those services wanting out.

"SIRCH, the Social Action Committee and Kinark Child and Family Services feel many things have changed (since the amalgamation agreement was signed)," Stanhope Deputy-reeve Eleanor Harrison said at Wednesday's county council meeting. "They are no longer interested in divesting their services. They feel agencies are now working closely together. The words 'collaborative partnership' were thrown around a bit."

She was reporting on a recent meeting with members of the Family Services board, the Children's Aid Society, SIRCH (which runs Parent Support Services), SAC (Case Co-ordination and Access to Integration) and the Ministry of Community and Social Services. In 1993, these agencies "agreed to divest program dollars to (Family Services) and work co-operatively to develop a more accessible, co-ordinated system of services for the community," says an early newsletter.

The September 12 meeting was the first time all the players were together since the province announced the new board would not be given a child welfare designation. Without the designation, Family Services cannot take over the role of the CAS.

"The CAS is more than willing to work hand in hand with us," said Harrison, who is one of two county representatives on the board. Family Services and the CAS could work out of the same office and have joint intake so "it would look seamless to the community."

The Ministry representatives were also supportive of Family Services and its goal of "one-stop shopping" for families.

Family Services representatives argued in favour of continuing with the amalgamation. It's felt the county will never get this opportunity again, and hundreds of thousands of dollars have been spent on the process, Harrison said. The board had planned to be in full operation later this year.

"What will happen to the Family Services board is now in the hands of the Ministry," she said, adding that the Ministry will see if the amalgamation agreement signed at Bark Lake in 1994 is binding.

Harrison said she was "devastated" by the outcome of the meeting. "The agencies that created us are saying we don't need to exist any more ... The Ministry is supporting us but without consensus, I don't know how the board can operate."

St. George's restoration is underway

by JODY LINDBECK
Staff Reporter

Work has begun on a project to restore St. George's Anglican Church in Haliburton.

Parish priest, the Reverend Christopher Greaves, said the work began on September 4, with the contract awarded to Jerry Smit Construction of Bracebridge.

The $98,170 restoration project is expected to be completed prior to Christmas.

Restoration was found to be necessary last January after an inspection reveals some structural problems and forced the temporary closure of the building.

The problems were found during an inspection by a structural engineer, who inspected the Haliburton site after more than 200 churches in the Diocese of Toronto were urged to have inspections.

Interim findings after the inspection showed two main areas of concern - vertical and horizontal cracks in the founda-

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Dowtown revitalization is community effort

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News about people and events in Haliburton County

In light of the recent business closings in Haliburton village, the BIA says a proposed plan of revitalization for the downtown area is very important. This would help make the village a destination, not just a stop on the way to or from the cottage. In order to discuss proposed plans for lighting, streetscape, signage, facades and all issues involved with the redevelopment of the Haliburton Village downtown area, a meeting will be held in the Dysart arena, September 25 at 7 p.m. All merchants, building owners, service clubs and interested citizens are urged to attend.

It seemed like a simple enough task - find out the names of a couple reportedly from Haliburton whose motor home had been burgled during a trip to Victoria BC. A call to one of the radio stations which had carried the Canada Press story resulted in a fax, which revealed with the couple's last name, King. A call back to the station uncovered that the husband's name was David. A dozen or more calls were made over an hour and a half to various people around the Haliburton County, with no-one able to say they knew the couple. Finally, a call to police in Victoria revealed all. According to Victoria police, the dream trip of a Havelock, not Haliburton couple, has been ruined by a theft. David and Joan King returned to their motor home near Victoria's Empress Hotel on Saturday to find everything inside it gone, including a shoebox containing Mrs. King's cancer medication. Police say the couple have been left devastated, particularly as the trip was their "last hurrah". About $75,000 worth of goods was stolen, including a disabled parking pass and the contents of the refrigerator. The couple are reportedly on their way home.

We know that most people aren't thinking about Christmas right now, but don't forget there's only a month to go in the Haliburton Bank of Montreal's Canadian Tire campaign. People are asked to bring their Canadian Tire money to the bank, and it will be used to buy presents for those who can't during the holidays.

This may be a bit far for people to drive, but Trent University is offering an 11-week beginner's class in quilting with artist-in-residence Alice Williams. Her distinctive quilts reflect her native and Norwegian roots and are often visually powerful expressions of joy and despair over the state of the planet. The program runs at the main campus Monday afternoons from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. starting September 30. To register call Noranne Flower at 705-748-1237 or sign up at the first class.

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Chamber lays off assistant to save money

by PETER DOWNS
Staff Reporter

The Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce is now a one-man show.

Manager Brian Dean is the only person staffing the Chamber's Minden office, following the board's decision to lay off executive assistant Ethel Muli.

Muli was recently laid off on a temporary basis, said Dean. The Chamber's board has 13 weeks to decide whether to make the lay-off permanent.

The board made the decision to lay-off the Chamber's only other full-time employee in a bid to save money, said Dean.

"We're downsizing," he said Friday. "We're making sure the money will serve all purposes."

The Chamber's financial picture has been gloomy for at least a year.

The 1995 Destination Guide lost almost $20,000.

Even though the summer has ended, the Chamber remains busy with the upcoming Studio Tour and calls from people planning Christmas vacations in the area, Dean said.

Meanwhile, interest is beginning to pick up in the Chamber's fall fund-raiser, a dinner and dance to a Glenn Miller tribute orchestra next month at the PineStone.

Tickets to the October 18 event are $200 per couple or $125 per single, including cocktail hour, dinner and dance. Chamber members receive a 20 per cent discount. Just 165 tickets are available.

"People are starting to call now about it," Dean said Thursday.

Money raised from the event is not dedicated for a specific cause, but will go towards the Chamber's general operations.

Despite the ticket prices, Dean said the Chamber doesn't stand to make a great deal of money from the event. Paying for a 16-piece orchestra accompanied by five vocalists, plus costs at the resort will eat up a large portion of the money raised.

"Over the years the members have asked for a nice evening out and a dance so we thought we would do this and make a few dollars, as well. Not that we're going to make much on it," he said. " ... By the time you hire an orchestra like that, you're not making a lot."

Tickets are available at The Chamber, Monks Funeral Home, Dawson Insurance Brokers and Haliburton Hairdressing.

LEST WE FORGET: As 300 Legion members gathered in Head Lake Park for Sunday's Drumhead service, District Parade Marshall Len Donner places a Canadian flag on the drums, above. Below, Doug Green, vice-president of Ontario Command, and David Haynes, District Commander, salute during the brief service at the Haliburton cenotaph during the festivities.

Thieves hit Minden Hydro

The Ontario Provincial Police and Ontario Hydro are seeking the public's help to uncover information regarding a break-in and theft at Hydro's property in Minden.

Hydro narrows down the time frame of the incident to the evening hours of September 15 or the early morning hours of September 16.

Considerable damage was done to the property during the break-in and a large quantity of items were stolen, including chainsaws, outboard motors and industrial tools.

Hydro believes the stolen equipment was carried from the back of its yard to the rear of valu-mart's parking lot, where it was loaded into a vehicle.

Anyone with information regarding the break-in is asked to call the OPP's Minden detachment at 286-1431 or CrimeStoppers at 1-800-563-TIPS.

Senior Constable Ken Wesley is investigating the break-in.

Minden Hydro says anyone with information about the incident may also call Colin Wilson at its customer operations centre at 286-2031, ext. 344.

Couple is uninjured after Bear Lake plane crash

A Collingwood couple escaped injury after their light float plane crashed into Bear Lake near Dorset on Saturday.

Police said the accident occurred about 2:00 p.m., northeast of Dorset in Sherborne Township.

The Murphy Rebel plane, which was being flown by its owner Robert Percival, was also carrying Percival's wife, Marilyn. They were the only occupants.

Police said the aircraft had just lifted off the water when a engine stall caused the plane to plunge into the lake, where it turned upside down.

The aircraft has been towed to land. Police said the plane, valued at between $60,000 and $100,000, has been extensively damaged.

The Transportation Safety Board of Canada has been notified and it will be making further inquiries.

Police believe pilot error caused the accident.

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Bear Alliance is force to be reckoned with, OFAH warns

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

Efforts of the Bear Alliance and Animal Alliance to sway public opinion against bear hunting will work unless hunters do a better job at mounting a counter-attack, a spokesman for the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters says.

Similar lobbying efforts have helped ban spring bear hunting in several states, warned Chris Brousseau, speaking at last Sunday's meeting of the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association.

The marketing campaign, which includes billboards showing forlorn "orphaned" bears, is "well organized, well funded and multi-organizational," he said. Although the initial intent is to end the spring bear hunt, Brosseau says the ultimate goal is to ban all hunting, and even fishing.

Society's views on the spring bear hunt can be divided three ways: people who are adamantly opposed to hunting; people who support hunting within conservation limits; and people who hunt. Since hunters themselves differ over such things as bear baiting and the use of dogs, it will be even easier to divide and conquer, Brousseau said.

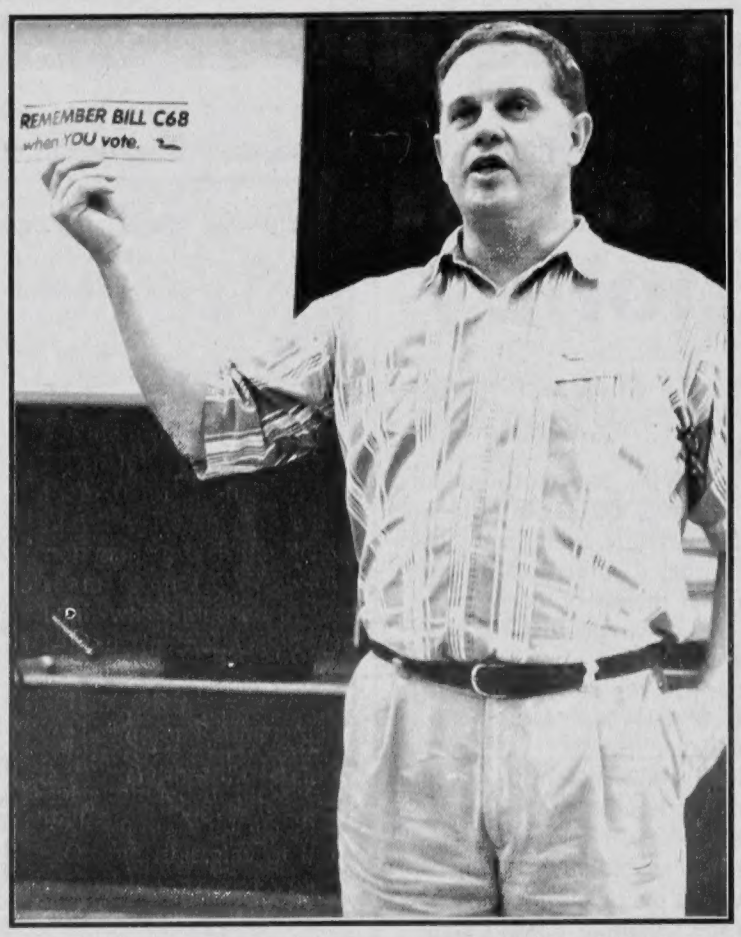
In the spring bear hunt debate, some groups which are usually neutral on the subject of hunting are taking sides. The World Wildlife Fund and Federation of Ontario Naturalists are now definitely on the side of the anti-bear hunt campaign, he said.

Brousseau also said HHOA members should take sides when the next federal election rolls around. "The gun control battle isn't over yet," he said as he encouraged people to take bumper stickers which read "When it's time to vote, remember Bill C48."

He said there are a few Liberals who have spoken out against the new federal gun control laws, but the Reform Party has said it would repeal sections which affect legitimate gun owners. The Conservatives "would probably also do it."

In other OFAH news, Brousseau said they won a temporary victory when they lobbied the federal government to restore funding to the lamprey control efforts in the Great Lakes. If lampreys are allowed to reproduce unimpeded, then fish in lakes in the Highlands will be in danger. Lampreys attach themselves to fish and basically suck their blood out.

As to the Algonquin hunting agreement, negotiations are underway with natives who want hunting licenses for 130 moose. (The province's preference is 100.) Other proposals are having the same season for native and non-native hunters, a tag system, and limiting the areas where hunting is allowed.



GET POLITICAL: Chris Brousseau of the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters distributed these bumper stickers at a meeting of th Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association.

Clinics offer rabies shots

Pet owners can protect their dogs and cats against rabies at vaccination clinics being offered by the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit and local veterinarians.

In Haliburton, clinics are being offered by Haliburton Veterinary Services and the health unit on September 28 and October 5 between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. at the Dysart fire hall. The cost per animal is $10.

When attending the clinics, pet owners must keep their dogs on leashes and cats in carriers.

Ontario pet owners are required by law to vaccinate their dogs and cats against rabies annually.

In 1995, nearly 9,800 animals were vaccinated through the rabies clinics within the health unit's area.

Outdoors volunteers would have lots to do

The following are some of the highlights of the past year for the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association.

The deer feeding program last winter was a big success, but in coming years, a lot more volunteers would be welcome. "Many hands make light work," said Scott Vasey.

With the help of the Ministry of Natural Resources, the club distributed 33 tons of feed at Percy Lake, Drag Lake and Hindon deer yard.

More fish

More fish will be spawning in local lakes thanks to several fisheries projects co-sponsored by the Community Fisheries Improvement Program. The most successful was a spawning bed restoration at Big Hawk Lake with close to 100 volunteers, many from the lake association. More work is planned for spring.

In-house hatchery

The club is in the process of raising 6,000 rainbow trout which should be released into area lakes in October. "The numbers are minor but we have to just grow with it," Vasey said.

Meanwhile, the club's goal is to raise 50,000 to 60,000 fish in its own hatchery. This would "take the heat off lake trout and put fish back in the water."

Larry Hewitt said the club will check the shoals and strip the eggs, which will be raised in the hatchery and released back into lakes when there is less chance of predation.

The Ministry of Natural Resources has provided a list of lakes which should be assessed, but there were problems with the list and it's being reviewed.

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Outdoors club can play vital role – if people get involved

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

The days of governments doing things for people are coming to an end. In the 1990s, people have to start doing things for each other, and in the Highlands, that means a bigger role for the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association.

"I believe we are on the gateway to a new way of doing things in this province," Pat Kennedy told 50 people gathered at the annual general meeting of the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association last Sunday. "More of our future outdoors activities will be decided by people like you and I. This club and its future will have a direct bearing on the quality of outdoor experience. This club is paramount to this area's survival...

"People, the time for letting others do it for us are over. The minister (of Natural Resources Chris Hodgson) has put our future squarely in our hands. Let's take up the vision and make it work."

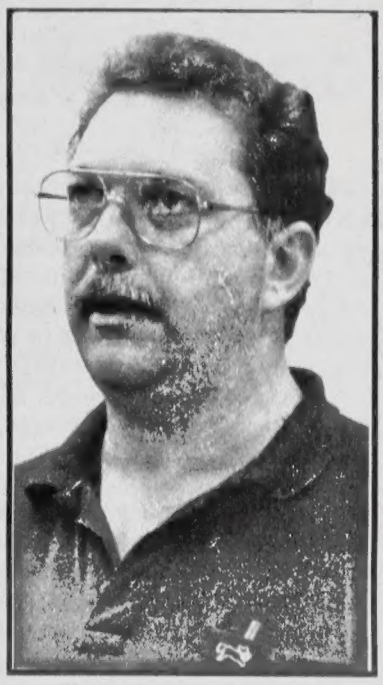
A few months ago, Hodgson appointed Kennedy to a new provincial committee which will oversee funding of fish and wildlife services. The annual budget will be around $58-million and for the first time, all monies raised by fish and game activities – such as licensing fees – will go into a special fund for fish and game services. In past years, fees have been put into a general government account, and while this practice will end, funding cutbacks will mean users are more responsible for the level of service which can be offered.

Some of the things this money will have to pay for are:

- paying the 281 Conservation Officers in the province and updating their vehicles and computers
- reviving the province's fish stocking program, including capital renovations of $5.5-million
- the Community Fisheries Improvement Program (which has funded several spawning area restoration projects in the Highlands) and the Community Wildlife Improvement Program
- hunting and fishing licensing and
- overall management of the fish and wildlife programs

The new board will make recommendations to the Minister about how money should be spent.

Because there will be less money to do more work, the role of volunteers will be even more vital, said Kennedy, who was disappointed at the low turnout at Sunday's meeting. He encouraged everyone to take advantage of the funding offered by the province and to get involved with the projects that will help to enhance and protect the county's natural resources.



Pat Kennedy

Later in the meeting, Chris Brosseau of the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters said the HHOA is very lucky to have Kennedy as a member of the new board. Not only is it an honour for Kennedy, who lives in Haliburton, but it's beneficial for the local association because Kennedy can be a conduit for local concerns and wishes.

MANY HANDS, LIGHTER WORK

Members of the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association seemed to take Pat Kennedy's message to heart on Sunday when they volunteered to clean up the Drag River in Haliburton. Here, Keith Hodgson and Nick Bryant remove branches from the riverbed

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County to explore options other than one-tier government

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one-tier government out of hand, it did agree to pursue other options. In the coming month, municipalities are supposed to talk with their neighbours to see if anyone is interested in amalgamation.

Amalgamation, however, was not seen as a primary goal. When county council tried to draw a preliminary map showing possible new boundaries, there was tremendous hue and cry from some municipalities. Both politicians and some residents are concerned about possible outcomes.

At the beginning of the meeting, Fearrey read aloud a column by municipal analyst Dave Barber, whose studies of past amalgamations have shown "results fall short of expectations" when it comes to costs. Potential savings are rarely realized and in most cases, costs actually increase because services in some municipalities have to be brought up to the new standards, and staff try to entrench their position.

"With amalgamation having such a poor track record, it would be prudent to explore other options," Fearrey said. These options can help local governments attain self-sufficiency and retain their identities.

So in the coming months, county councillors are being asked to consider a "third option."

"Amalgamation is a misnomer. It should be restructuring," said Bicroft Reeve Bill Howe. "Forget the lines on the map, deal with issues as they are."

"What keeps coming up is duplication (of services). That's where the savings are," said Fearrey.

Some municipalities, such as Stanhope and Sherborne et al, have already got together to see where and how they could share services, said Stanhope Reeve Jock Mavor.

More of this could be done to find savings without drastically altering the present government structure, some councillors believed.

Councillors also raised the issue of public consultation. Public meetings will be held, Fearrey said, but if people are to be asked to discuss various options, council first has to decide what those options will be.

Meanwhile, some county councillors will try to meet with representatives from Northumberland County, which is undergoing a similar restructuring process and has come up with several suggestions about the sharing of services and new administrative structures.

Construction to repair structural problems has begun at St. George's Anglican Church in Haliburton. Although the church has been vacant all winter, a hamster had made its home in one of the sand piles. It has since moved to the Great Haliburton Feed Company.

Pennies from Heaven to help church restoration

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tion of the church addition, and the area where the roof of the old building is joined to the roof of the new building, which was officially opened in March, 1987.

Greaves says the restoration project includes the reinforcement of the concrete foundations and work on support beams in part of the new roof.

The inspection also revealed some minor works which need to be completed.

Greaves says there are insurance claims outstanding in relation to the matter. "We are hoping and praying for a satisfactory settlement."

He says if these matters can be resolved satisfactorily, there will no need for further legal action.

A fund-raising project has also been launched to raise money which will cover the minor repair works being undertaken in addition to the restoration project.

The "Pennies from Heaven" project has been introduced so that each family in the congregation and all family members can contribute to the restoration fund. Plans are also being made for a pledge campaign.

Greaves is looking forward to the completion of the restoration work, so that the congregation can return to the church, which this year celebrated its 131st anniversary.

"We're talking about having a celebration when it's time to move back in," he says.

In the meantime, the church will continue to operate from its temporary premises at the Haliburton United Church.

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GRATEFUL: Extendicare president Wes Carter, administrator Jane Rosenberg and activities co-ordinator Barb Fryer thanked volunteers who give their time and kindness to the nursing home's residents at a dinner last week.

Extendicare volunteers get King's treatment at appreciation dinner

by PETER DOWNS
Staff Reporter

With several posters of Elvis adorning the walls and a gold bust of his pompadoured likeness on the head table, volunteers at Extendicare were gratefully thanked Tuesday night at an appreciation dinner befitting The King himself.

Each of the volunteers was given a pin in the shape of an old LP record bearing the title of the Elvis classic, "Love Me Tender."

"'Love Me Tender' is the theme of the night because that's what all the volunteers do for the residents at Extendicare," said activities co-ordinator Barb Fryer, who organized the evening.

Behind the head table hung a huge portait of Elvis, painted by Extendicare resident Yvonne Guida. Real LPs dangled from the chandeliers and formed an arch at the entrance to the Legion hall. Posters of old movies on loan from Kinmount's Highland Cinemas and cut-outs of old jukeboxes lent a '50s feel to the event.

Following dinner, volunteer Glenda Burk sang the evening's theme song, "Love Me Tender," for the audience, accompanied by John Menzies on piano.

The president and chief executive officer of Extendicare, Wes Carter, attended the dinner and was the guest speaker afterward.

Extendicare's Haliburton facility is "blessed" to have both dedicated staff and volunteers, he said.

During the home's 20-year history, its more than 200 active volunteers have devoted countless hours of time to helping the residents and staff, said Carter.

"For all those hours and acts of kindness, I really do thank you," he said. " ... Volunteers do make a difference in the quality of life in our nursing home and I thank you on behalf of Extendicare."

Volunteer Eva Howe said it was a joy for her to see her husband, who had a difficult time adjusting to Extendicare at first, open up to the care and concern of staff.

And while the nurses and other staff members do their jobs extremely well, volunteers play an important role at the nursing home, as well, she said.

Volunteers can do many of things for residents that the nurses cannot because of their busy schedules.

"We can read to the residents. We can listen to them, write letters for them. Take them out for a drive — even help them play bingo. And, most importantly of all, give them a smile, give them a hug, touch them, let them know you're there ... That can make their day."

Resident Yvonne Guida, who painted the Elvis portrait, congratulated staff and volunteers on their great work and read a poem she had written for the evening.

Three volunteers in particular were honoured for the many hours of service they have put in over the years: Bernice Stewart, for 3,000 hours of volunteer service; John Menzies, for 2,000 hours; and Donna Ibbotson for 1,500 hours.

Led by Mr. Menzies, the volunteers surprised Barb Fryer by singing "Happy Birthday" to mark her birthday the following day.

County wants more money from MTO to take care of 'gift' roads

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

When the province recently "gave" 97 kilometres of highways to the county, it offered the county a one-time grant of $2.3-million.

That money will cover the anticipated improvements over the next five years, but the county's roads committee says it falls far short of the $400,000 a year it will probably cost to maintain those portions of the highways which now fall under the county's jurisdiction.

The committee is asking for a meeting with the Minister of Transportation to demand that maintenance costs are also part of the equation.

"Our tax base cannot afford the responsibility," reported Lutterworth reeve Jim McMahon at Wednesday's county council meeting.

The county wants the province to either increase roads funding to cover the cost of the transfer – which the county didn't ask for – or to take over some of the existing county responsibilities.

The highways the province no longer wants to maintain are the county portions of 507 and 503, 121 between Minden and Kinmount, 648 and County Road 1 between the Haliburton Hospital and Hwy. 121. (This last stretch of road is barely one kilometre in length but because it goes through a swampy area, it's very expensive to maintain.)

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County's future depends on hospitals

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

The following are brief reports of items discussed at Wednesday's meeting of county council.

Unless construction of local healthcare institutions goes ahead, there's little point in worrying about county restructuring – because there won't be a county left to restructure, said Warden Murray Fearrey in his opening remarks.

"If we don't have our act together, there will be no reason to have a Haliburton County," he said. The hospital situation "is paramount to everything we're doing. As leaders, we have to support (the Haliburton Highlands Health Services board.)"

Fearrey said the county's economy is dependent on the capital projects getting underway in the spring. "Morale of people is low, we're losing residents... and people are not prepared to invest in this county, stay here and retire. They want to know we have our act together on the hospitals. Delay tactics are no longer acceptable."

The county has previously agreed to play a leadership role in helping the board raise the county's $4.5-million share of the $10.6-million cost of adding 30 long-term care beds at Haliburton Hospital, upgrading Hyland Crest to modern standards and moving the Minden emergency department to the Hyland Crest site. One-million dollars has already been raised, but the remaining $3.5-million must be in the bank before the province will allow construction to go ahead. There's a fear that unless construction starts in the spring, the province will take away its portion of the funding.

One idea that's being suggested is a one-time levy of $100 for all county ratepayers. This would avoid the necessity of having to debenture the costs and paying interest.

Fearrey stressed the county must develop a timetable to ensure the money could be raised by the spring of '97.

Rabjohn supported

Sherborne et al Reeve Ross Rabjohn got a round of applause in support of his work as one of two county representatives on the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Board.

"He's done an excellent job," said Stanhope deputy-reeve Eleanor Harrison in asking fellow councillors for a vote of confidence. She praised his diligence and the spontaneous applause from fellow county councillors indicated their agreement.

At the previous HHHS meeting, a member of the public had criticized Rabjohn's appointment as the board's head of the finance committee. Roy Windover said the position should go to someone with a business background – Rabjohn's a retired principal. Windover also criticized giving the job to someone from Dorset (Sherborne), where residents tend to go to Huntsville.

Proposal "astronomical"

Reporting on recent events with the HHHS, Rabjohn said there was support for the architect's plan to build an entirely new Hyland Crest building, with emergency department attached, on the property below the existing building. However, the initial cost proposed by the architect "was so astronomical we sat there stunned. How anyone could come in the proposal they did was just mind-boggling."

Asked what that figure was, Rabjohn was hesitant to respond since it was just a preliminary report. However, he did say the proposed cost "exceeded the project by half as much as that."

The province is committed to paying approximately two-thirds of the $10.6-million cost to make the changes at Hyland Crest and build 30 long-term care beds at Haliburton Hospital. Anything over that would have to be raised entirely in the county.

Libraries

County librarian Joel Levis is not keen on the idea to house the county library office in Haliburton and the Haliburton library branch under one roof, reported Harrison, council's library representative.

As a way of cutting costs, it has been suggested that the Haliburton branch move to the county library office a block away or vice versa. Both buildings are owned by Dysart et al.

However, Levis's report was "in the negative. There were very few positives," Harrison said.

A meeting of representatives from the county, county library committee and Haliburton library committee has been suggested to discuss the idea further.

Chamber of Commerce

When Glamorgan deputy-reeve was asked for his report on the Chamber of Commerce, the county's representative on the board replied that he had nothing to report.

"Do you get invited to the meetings?" Fearrey asked.

"No," Challis responded.

It was suggested the Chamber make sure Challis knows when meetings are being held.

Chamber manager Brian Dean had been scheduled to address council on Chamber funding, but Dean cancelled the delegation.

Addition more costly than expected

The addition to the county building is 5% over budget, primarily due to changes and improvements made along the way.

"I think that's the lowest overrun on an addition that I've ever dealt with," said Fearrey, adding that the changes had been approved by council.

The project is part of the federal/provincial infrastructure program whereby each level of government contributes one-third of the total budgeted cost of $805,000.

The issue was raised by Sherborne et al deputy-reeve Bob Canning when he was reviewing financial statements. In the future, he said, the finance committee should have more detailed information about the payments it was approving.

The official opening for the addition, which includes new council chambers, is October 4.

Social Services

Dick Schell is now fully trained as an eligibility review officer with the county department. He presently has 25 cases under investigation "and with any luck we should be able to crack down on fraudulent cases," reported Lutterworth Deputy-reeve Lisa Mercer.

"Fraud is wrong," said Fearrey because it hurts a system that is designed to help true people in need. "Our obligation is to stop it if we can."

Unhappy with OPP

Dysart et al Deputy-reeve Bill Davis was not pleased with the presentation made by OPP Superintendent Bill Hutton at the previous council meeting. Hutton had said no Minden officers were being seconded to other jurisdictions such as Wasaga Beach, but Davis said this wasn't true. "Either the answers came from the top of his head but they didn't come from research."

Davis believes the county should get more "honest and legitimate" answers to its questions.

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Rock may push sewer line over budget

by PETER DOWNS
Staff Reporter

The following are brief reports of items discussed at last week's meeting of Dysart et al council.

Construction crews clearing the way for the sewer line along the north shore of Lake Kashagawigamog have run into more rock than they anticipated, threatening to push the cost of the project over budget.

Peterborough-based Balterre Contracting Ltd. didn't bargain on having to blast through any rock along Kashaga Dr., "but they're hitting it everywhere," said Ward 2 councillor Dennis Casey, who sits on the committee overseeing the project.

The company put together its budget on the estimation it would need to blast roughly 2,500 cubic metres of rock as it lays the 12-kilometre line.

"The big question now is whether they are going to go over," said Casey. " ... They feel it will, but not by much."

Residents living in rocky areas could end up having to pay more money to hook up to the line.

The municipality has estimated it should cost most property owners between $1,500 and $2,000 to have a contractor connect their homes and cottages to the sewer line.

But where there is rock, contractors' fees will be more expensive.

Casey suggested council set up a meeting with Balterre representatives to get a better handle on how the rocky ground will affect the project

"I think it's all right, but it's something we're going to have to watch," he said.

Deputy-reeve Bill Davis said he told the contracting firm to notify the municipality once it has removed 1,500 cubic metres of rock.

Balterre plans to work on the $3.35-million project until the ground freezes and resume in the spring. The completion date is set for August 1997.

Another company, J&P Levesque Bros. Haulage, is in charge of the $1.85-million first phase of construction, putting in the pumping stations that will feed waste along the line.

BROWSING: Mary Donovan Wilcox and step-daughters Jenna and Summer try to decide which books to buy at a book fair held at J. Douglas Hodgson Elementary School's open house last Tuesday night.

Sewer line severances

Council plans to hold a special meeting with planning and building department staff to set a policy on severances now that the sewer line is going in.

The installation of the line will undoubtedly be followed by a raft of severance applications and the municipality needs to discuss lot sizes and land uses it will permit.

"It's all potentially residential," said Reeve Fearrey. "Are we going to allow 100-foot lots along the lake?"

The sooner the meeting is scheduled the better, said Davis, anticipating the municipality will begin receiving the expected severance applications shortly.

Trail name

Seasonal resident Dick Holland has asked councillors to consider giving a name to the walkway along the Drag River that leads from the old W. O. Bailey Mill dam to Head Lake.

Holland, along with two other volunteers, Cec Winter and Larry Purdy, cleared the pathway of fallen trees and cut back the brush to make the scenic walk more accessible.

He suggested the municipality could call the pathway River Walk and post signs in the area so that more people will discover it.

"They've really done a lot of work down there," said clerk-administrator Donna McCallum. "We'll have to keep it up, but now that it's been done it shouldn't be too hard."

Deputy-reeve Davis suggested another good name for the walking path could be Heritage Walkway, since it follows the route loggers used to bring their logs to Haliburton.

Planes, trains and tanks

The Haliburton Legion wants to move the Sherman tank beside its building to a new location between the train and war plane at the southern entrance to the village.

In a letter to council, Legion president Dave Stirrett said the tank would be a better tourist attraction alongside the newly refurbished plane and the train.

But Fearrey doubted whether there is room for the tank at the proposed location. And if there were, the Legion would need the Haliburton County Board of Education's permission to move it there, since it owns the land.

At the Legion's request, council declared the CF 100 aircraft and the tank as memorials, enabling the Legion to apply for special funding toward their upkeep.

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Editorial

You know what they say about stats

BY THIS TIME, READERS whose glasses are specially geared to reading between the lines have gathered there can be a bit of tension at meetings of the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Board. Hospitals are always an emotional issue, so it's not surprising that the debates share that tendency as well.

A constant undercurrent, and source of gritted teeth, is the use of statistics to prove a point. Demographics is one type of statistic, and demographics have often been used in the arsenal in the attack against the 30 long-term care beds and acute care beds going to Haliburton.

One demographic statistic that's constantly mentioned is that 35,000 people are in the catchment area of Minden Hospital. This figure basically includes everyone from Coboconk north to Stanhope, detouring to Kinmount.

Everyone on the board cares that the people in those areas have adequate access to healthcare. In Victoria County, there's only one hospital, and that's in Lindsay to the south, so it's true that some people in the northern part of Victoria County, and a thin wedge of northern Peterborough County, access the Minden Hospital because it's closer.

That's not what causes the tension. It's this: if the demographics for Minden's catchment area are to include the people from Coboconk north, then fine and good. But there's a price. If it's true that people from Coboconk use the Minden facilities, then they should help pay the cost of moving the emergency department to the Hyland Crest site. You can't have it both ways. You can't include those people in the statistics of who uses the hospital, and then say they don't have a responsibility to pay for it because they live outside the county.

You also have to be sure of your statistics. When both the Haliburton and Minden hospitals were fully functional, there were still limitations on the types of services they could provide. Given these limitations, people from the Minden catchment area were sometimes taken for emergencies to Ross Memorial Hospital in Lindsay, even though it is farther away. People whose needs were less acute were sent to Minden to make it easier for their families to visit. As a recent and successful fundraiser for Ross Memorial indicates, there is a lot of loyalty to the Lindsay hospital in Coboconk and Norland because people from that area have and will use the hospital.

Will there be that same loyalty when county council writes to the municipalities in the Minden catchment area to formally ask if they would be willing in any way to take part in a one-time levy to raise the public's one-third share of the costs of capital expansion? There will be loyalty when it comes to hosting fundraising events, but a levy is more questionable because it takes away people's choice to decide what hospital they prefer to support. And yet the county is favouring a levy because it would complete the fundraising in one, gigantic swoop. Those raffles and talent nights will be important to help maintain services, but they won't solve the immediate problem of raising $3.5-million by next spring, which is when it's hoped to start construction. Construction can't start until the money's in the bank, so it's a Catch 22.

In many ways it's unfortunate the debate includes the people from Coboconk and Norland because they probably know nothing about it. Granted, they do want the hospital to be there, and some of them will use it but their inclusion in the demographics often seems to be politically motivated. It's a way of justifying the argument that essentially all services be located in Minden because it is more centrally located.

The present configuration of services is a compromise, and in the 1990s, we're lucky to even get that.

This way, half of the money will be spent in Minden, and half in Haliburton. Minden might even need more because it's now apparent an entirely new Hyland Crest must be built. Compromises aren't perfect – but doesn't that mean they're the perfect solution in an imperfect world? **M.P.**

Rushing towards fall by Len Pizzey

Letters to the Editor

Anti-bear hunt lobbyists are barking up the wrong tree

To the Editor:

Having read both Ted Vasey's letter and Graham's response letter, I would like to add my two cents to a never ending argument about bear hunting. I have seen and read some of the Bear Alliance's literature, and I must admit some of the posters and TV ads appear almost "real". I am sure to someone who knows absolutely nothing about hunting they would surely strike home.

I would like to think of most hunters as being concerned about the game or fish they pursue, as to their populations, their habitat, and to those in the Ministry of Natural Resources who manage them. Most hunters and sportsman associations are the first to respond to the MNR if we feel they are handing out too many moose tags, doe tags, or bear tags in certain areas. Hunters and farmers have a lot in common; neither wants to see his or her livestock exterminated nor its population decline to the point of no return. By the same token, both farmer and hunter harvest a percentage of those animals every year. The farmer is his own manager of his "game", and the hunter relies on the managers of the MNR.

Every time I go hunting I learn something about the woods and the animals that are in it. After 26 hears of following hounds around after bear, I am still learning. I have worn out half a dozen trucks, countless pairs of boots and rubbers, walked miles, been wet, been cold, come home empty-handed, maybe treed a bear, didn't always kill them, and at the end of the day, told myself I had a great day. If the Bear Alliance thinks that putting a radio collar on your dog will assure you of killing a bear, or taking the "fair chase" out of the game, then you'd better put your swamping clothes on and give it your "best shot" buddy. The main theme of the tracking collar is that when the bear has taken the dogs on a merry chase, and left you and your dogs with nothing to show but exercise, when it's time to go home, your chances of finding your dogs is just a little bit easier.

As far as sows with cubs, and hounds, we have the opportunity when the bear is treed to look at the bear in the tree, before anyone does any shooting. It has been a policy of ours not to shoot a sow or a sow with this year's cub, long before it was made law.

I would like to know where the Bear Alliance took its opinion poll on hunting bear. It stated that 71% of Ontario residents oppose bear hunting. Where did they talk to the people of Ontario? Down at Yonge and Bloor in Toronto? Mr. Graham stated that Mr. Vasey claims Bear Alliance is misinforming innocent Ontarians. My opinion is that Mr. Vasey is right. I give the people of Ontario credit. I would like to think that the people of Ontario are some of the finest; matter of fact, I think all the people in Canada are the best. The citizens of Ontario are not the issue here. Bear Alliance's misinformation and propaganda is.

In closing, if Mr. Graham's group would like to do something positive, why don't they launch a campaign against the pollution that is being dumped in Ontario waters and lands? If you could get that stopped, both animals and man just might have a future. I would imagine you could get every hunter and fisherman in Ontario to help with that project.

Bruce Sawyer,
Haliburton

County should assume airport

To the Editor:

How long can Stanhope afford to be in the airport business?

Tough times indeed! With federal and provincial grants either non-existing or diminishing fast, deficit budgets are hard to digest in a sparsely populated township without even a village.

A convenient little airport for Natural Resources, Medevac and local fliers who came from all parts of the county - why not let the county look after it. The benefits are spread county-wide, we think costs should be shared as well.

Dale Anthes,
Stanhope

The Echo welcomes Letters to the Editor. They must be signed, and may be edited for length. Mail to Box 360, Haliburton, K0M 1S0

Co-op student joins *Echo*

by TASHA MOORE
HHSS Co-op Student

Ever since I was little, I have loved to write. I love to write anything I can – stories, poetry, letters. It's my way of letting my feelings out, allowing me to describe my thoughts in depth. Mind you, I have never before written for a newspaper and I must admit that it's going to be quite a challenge for this semester, but I'm sure it will also be exciting.

I am working with the co-op placement program at HHSS, where I am in Grade 12. Co-op is a valuable way to gain work experience – and I can get two credits without having to sit in a classroom. My co-op teacher, Wanda Mole, informed me that I would have a lot of fun working at *The Echo*, so I got in touch with Editor Martha Perkins and here I am!

By the end of this semester I'm sure I will have learned much about writing and about my future. Who knows? Maybe this is what I will be doing for life!

My parents are Neil and Betty, and before moving to West Guilford, they lived in Northern Ontario. I was five when we moved to Camp Medeba with my older sister Tammy and younger brother Trevor.

Tasha Moore

When I'm not in school, I spend my time with my friends, playing piano, on the odd occasion travelling, and of course, writing. I really don't have many plans for the future besides going to college or university and travelling all over the world.

For now I will be content spending time working at the Echo and just being a teen in high school.

Pic of the Past

This week's Pic of the Past shows a successful fishing party some time in the 1930s. The couple had hired Milton Sears of Minden to be their guide and he brought along his sister, Evelyn Henderson of Haliburton. Our thanks to Jeanne Sears of Minden for sharing this photo with us.

Family ties unravel Highlands history

by JUNE PARTRIDGE
Haliburton Highlands Genealogy Group

Our local newspapers this summer carried many articles of genealogical interest. Articles which tell the life story of lifetime residents and those who have grown up with a love of the Highlands and now call it home. Many of us had never heard the stories before now. This is a wonderful way to learn the history of our area and put a personal face to areas that we have used and come to appreciate.

The personal stories of people finding relatives and renewing acquaintances with relatives who had not touched their lives for a long time show genealogy at its most exciting phase. So often we search records of land holdings, wills, marriage and birth certificates and still feel that we do not know those who are our ancestors or those even in the current family line that we ourselves are placed. Part of the appeal of the small town newspapers are the family stories and "who is visiting who".

These show us relationships we did not know about before and make those of us who grew up in large cities feel a little envious. We know that people who have lived here all their lives can look back at old issues of the paper and probably find some anecdote of a relative, a birth or death notice.

Some interesting events are coming up that will pique everyone's interest and and start us on our path again. Region IX meeting of the Ontario Genealogy Society will focus on research in the United Kingdom and emigration and migration within the United Kingdom. This meeting will be in the auditorium of the North Bay Public Library at 3:30 p.m., October 5, 1996. The speaker is Dennis Pearce, Librarian for the Hampshire Genealogical Society.

Two new publications are now on sale from the Ontario Genealogy Society 'Handbook for reading & Interpreting Old Documents' by Elizabeth Biggs, and 'Guide to Family History Research in the Archival Repositories of the United Church of Canada' by The Committee on Archives and History, The United Church of Canada.

The August 1996 issue of the Families magazine has a wonderful article 'Organizing for success in Genealogical Research'. The last chapter invites the reader to write a biography for one of your direct ancestors after you have followed all the directions for organizing the records that you have.

Our first fall meeting is on September 25 at 7 p.m.

Business elite rules world

To the Editor:

Rather than express my own feelings that are suspect as being biased, let me rather put my thoughts before you as written by more politically established commentators.

John D. Rockefeller had this to say in 1886; quote: "It is only natural that there should be a business elite to rule the world and a poorer class to carry the burden."

His grandson had this to say in 1994; quote: "We have won. We are in the driver's seat. No politician can ever touch us now."

Mr. Maloney and his alter ego, Mr. Chretien, can attest to the above.

My final quote comes from Dalton Camp, who was the definitive 'eminence grise' behind the federal Conservative Party before it was hijacked by the likes of Harris, Klein and Chretien.

"The twin shibboleths of the current neo-con political culture-privatization and deregulation are sprung from its first principle: the public be damned. We are nearly overwhelmed by the propaganda of the corporate oligarchy and their obsequious courtiers. Behind the endless testimonials to the benefits of deregulation and privatization, lurks the effort to persuade the public that government is the enemy, that it is both a drain on productivity and a restraint to competition. The pleading - or demand - to let business go its way, unfettered by regulation, taxation, the need for public accountability, or any suggestion of civic responsibility, is accompanied by a threat - or blackmail - to pick up their marbles and leave."

Yeah Rockefeller. Who is left to save the people?

H. Michael Collins,
Gooderham

Parents need to speak out about busing fears

To the Editor:

It is only the third week of school and I have heard of several near misses between drivers and children. These children who used to be transported safely on buses are now on the roads. I say ON the roads because in many cases, there are NO shoulders or sidewalks! These children are in danger and consider that this is:

1. ideal weather;
2. road conditions are optimum;
3. visibility is perfect.

What will happen this winter?

I implore parents to make their concerns known where it counts. As drivers, let us also share our concerns with the Board and our elected representatives.

We can't afford to lose one child.

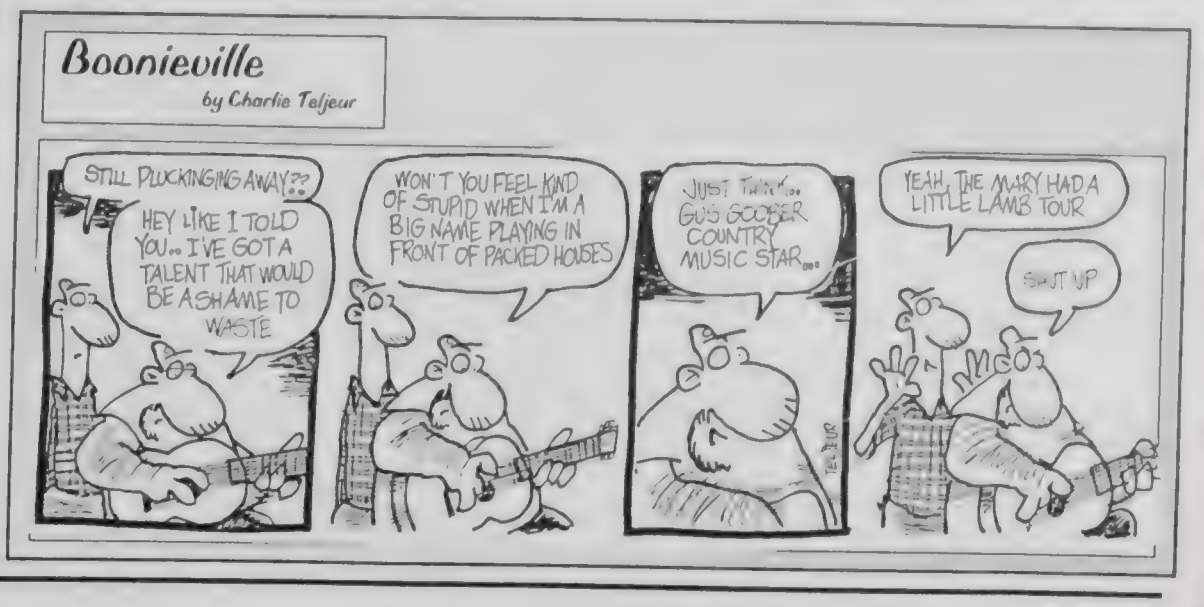
Dorothy Owens,
Haliburton

Charity golf game a big help

To the Editor:

The Haliburton County Chapter Board of Directors and I would like to thanks PineStone Resort for hosting a Charity Golf Classic this summer. As recipients of over $4,000, we would like to express our gratitude and appreciation to Denise Meeks, Human Resource Administrator, and Tournament Director and General Manager, Andy Frappier, for their terrific organization. A special thank you to all participants and merchants who supported this event.

Linda Black,
Area Coordinator of the Heart and Stroke Foundation



Vanessa Eastmure goes through her figure skating routine during a training session at the Dysart arena on Thursday. Skating training sessions began last week, with children taking to the ice in preparation for the coming season.

Junior Redmen shaping up well for season ahead

by BRUCE GRIFFITH
Coach

On Friday, September 13, in the pouring rain, the Junior Redmen football team scrimmaged against North Hastings Secondary School to prepare for the upcoming season.

With a team of size and experience, Haliburton walked over Bancroft with a score of four touchdowns to one.

On Saturday, the team travelled to Waterloo to watch starting tailback Andy Bacon, who was a star Redmen player, score two touchdowns for the Laurier University Warriers as they beat the York University Yeomen.

After the big boys left the astro turf, the Junior Redmen stepped onto the field under the lights.

Playing against St. Mary's High School from Woodstock, in an exhibition match, the team was seeking revenge after last year's loss.

Coaches Griffin, Brohman and Marsden knew they had a strong team, but as the game developed everyone was amazed by the strength, speed and depth of this highly motivated group of athletes.

Starting tailback Devon Dart ran hard to score two touchdowns and have a third called back.

Tailback Jon Swinson, coming off an injury, was determined to score and dragged several St. Mary's players across the goal line for one touchdown.

Linebacker Chris Moynes scored a rare defensive touchdown after a spectacular punt by quarterback Mike Morissette.

Starting fullback Jason Henry made many strong defensive plays, but was frustrated offensively when each of his three touchdowns was called back.

Flanker Greg Forgrave proved he is the man with the hands as he made an unbelievable catch in the end zone for a two-point conversion.

Big hit of the game was by defensive end Darren Gilbert as he rocketed a Woodstock player into the end zone.

With a final score of 26 to 8, the Junior Redmen happily climbed on the bus for the long ride home.

STEADY HANDS: A Senior Redman player takes a firm hand on the ball during last week's season opener against Lindsay's I.E. Weldon Wildcats. Both the Junior and Senior Redmen teams were victorious in their matches.

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Redmen kick off football season with strong wins over Wildcats

by PETER DOWNS
Staff Reporter

Haliburton high school's senior Redmen kicked off the football season by taming Lindsay's I.E. Weldon Wildcats with a 29-0 blow-out before an enthusiastic home crowd.

Record-setting tailback Mike Bradley put Haliburton on the scoreboard first, capping off a long march down the field with a running play.

Next up was Darnell Gilbert who teamed up with quarter back George Gilbert to put on one of the game's most exciting plays with a 107-yard pass-and-run combination for six points.

Darren Mills set the Wildcats back after he blocked a punt, picked it up and ran it into the endzone for another Redmen TD.

Shane Parks grabbed the team's final touchdown of the game on a lengthy punt return.

The remainder of the teams points came on four converts kicked by Darren Mills, plus a missed field goal for a single point

"Overall, I was very happy with the way things turned out," said head coach Tim Davies.

Linebacker Jami Swinson and safety Greg Simmons put in great games defensively and QB Godfrey was passing and reading plays extremely well, said the coach.

He was also impressed by the home crown turn-out.

"There were a lot of spectators," he said. "It was good to see them out for the game."

Davies is hoping to find a team from another division to play the Redmen in an exhibition game this Friday. The senior team from LCVI, which the team was supposed to face, has folded for the season due to a shortage of players.

JUNIORS

The junior Redmen started off a little slower than the seniors, but exploded in the second half to down the Wildcats 26-8.

On the first play of the game, I.E. Weldon scored a touchdown and then converted.

But the Redmen found the endzone near the end of the half and scored a two-point conversion to take a slim lead. Matt Reid caught QB Mike Morissette's pass for the TD and Darren Gilbert ran the ball in for the two-pointer.

In the second half Morissette scored two touchdowns on option plays and Gilbert ran in another six points for the Redmen.

On Friday the juniors are on the road to face LCVI in Lindsay.

The next home game for both Haliburton teams will be on Tuesday, October 1.

Senior Redmen players tackle a player from Lindsay's I.E. Weldon Wildcats during the season opener. Both the junior and senior teams recorded strong wins over the Wildcats.

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HHSS' Senior girls hockey team earned two wins in five games at a tournament in Toronto on Saturday. The girls are pictured in action at Sunnybrook Park.

Field hockey wins for HHSS girls

HHSS's Senior girls field hockey team earned two victories in five games at a tournament at Toronto's Sunnybrook park on Saturday.

In spite of warm temperatures and some extremely tough competition, the HHSS girls played hard and improved with every game.

Haliburton had a hard time getting started and ended up on the short end of a 2-0 score against Grand River Collegiate. Then they faced O'Neill from Oshawa, the eventual pool winners. O'Neill was up 2-0 when Jennifer Turner's shot from the top of the circle found its way into the goal. The final score was 3-1 for O'Neill.

Next was Humberside, another strong team who earned a 3-0 win.

By their fourth game Haliburton's team play started to gel and they dominated Birchmount. A goal by Amanda McClenaghan, helped by Amanda Duncombe, sealed a 1-0 victory.

In the HHSS girls' final game they faced Bishop Strachan who had earned five points in their first four games. In an all out team effort, Haliburton kept the play open with cross field passes that resulted in many impressive offensive rushes. One of these was spearheaded by Jennifer Turner who stole the ball from the defense and got a shot on goal that gave Jess Wallace the rebound she needed to pop it into the net. A shutout for Amy Wood assured Haliburton of the 1-0 win.

Outstanding player of the day was Amanda Duncombe whose offensive and defensive efforts were an inspiration.

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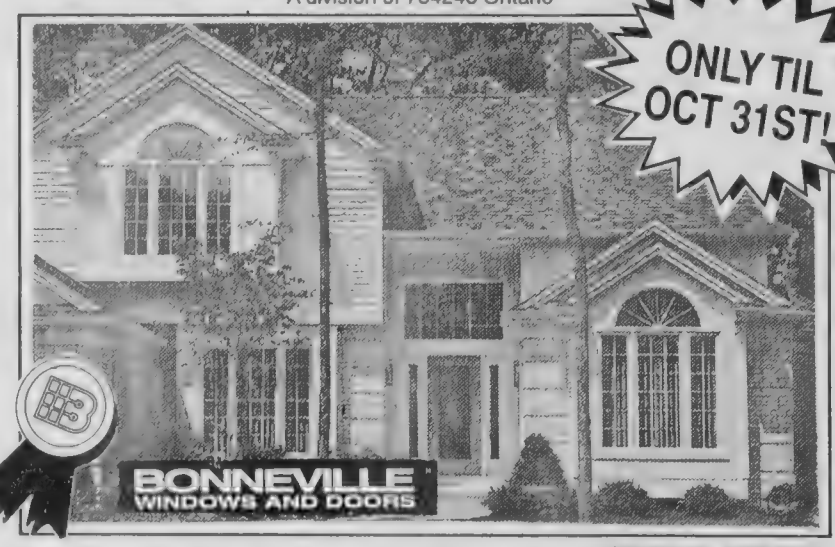

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The workshop takes place from Friday Oct. 4 to Sunday, Oct. 6 at the Frost Center.

Rates including two nights accommodation and five meals are: $380 for a family of two adults and two children, $50 per additional child; and $190 for individual adults.

Rates with no accommodation and two meals are $175 for a family of four, $25 for each additional child; and $100 for individual adults.

Adults or family will receive a resource package at the workshop, including the Canadian Wildlife Federation's latest book, "Backyard Habitat for Canada's Wildlife."

For further information about the workshop, call the Canadian Wildlife Federation at 1-800-563-9453.

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County council to seek expanded support for proposed healthcare levy

County council will send letters to the four townships bordering the south end of Haliburton County, asking if they're willing to take part in a proposed one-time levy to raise funds for capital expansion of healthcare services.

These townships, which are represented in the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Board, are in the catchment area of the Minden Hospital.

Although the levy has been discussed informally in Haliburton County as a way of raising $3.5-million without debenturing, when The Echo contacted representatives of the four townships, three of them had n't heard of the plan.

Sandy Stevens, deputy-reeve of Laxton Digby Longford, said she personally was not aware of the proposal to extend the $100 levy. However, she thought the plan would not win much support in the township.

"We've just had a big Ross Memorial (Hospital in Lindsay) blitz and I think anyone who had anything to contribute, did it," she says. "We are a small township and I think trying to squeeze any more from this county would be like trying to squeeze a dry sponge.

"We just aren't in a position to help that much."

Reeve of Galway Cavendish Oliver Lloyd and deputy reeve of Bexley Dan Glen were not aware of the proposal, but both said they did not wish to comment on the matter unless it came before their full councils.

Somerville reeve John Huke, who represents these townships on the health services board, believes the proposal as it stands would be very difficult to introduce into the Victoria County townships.

Huke says Victoria County residents already pay a levy towards the Victoria Manor seniors home.

Huke believes townships would be willing to hold fundraising activities to assist the board, but he did not believe the $100 levy was viable.

"Without Minden Hospital it becomes very difficult to get a doctor in Kinmount." Huke says in the past, the townships had put on hold a search for a doctor for Kinmount so they could assist in finding one for Minden.

He says he has spoken to representatives of other townships and found they felt the same way.

At Wednesday's county council meeting, Warden Murray Fearrey said he was "having trouble" with the idea that the northern townships would not contribute further to the plan which would upgrade Hyland Crest, move the Minden emergency department to the Hyland Crest site, and add 30 long-term care beds at Haliburton Hospital.

"I can't rationalize why we wouldn't all raise the funds together," said Fearrey.

Residents in the four northern townships are often included in statistics about the Minden Hospital's catchment area. "If they're not going to participate (in the levy), then formally we should hear that," Fearrey said.

Some county councillors say that when Ross Memorial Hospital held its expansion campaign in the 1960s, Haliburton County made a donation.

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County wants to take over TSW dams

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

The Trent Severn Waterways wants to privatize the maintenance of its dams in Haliburton County, and county council is interested in being the new boss.

Council will work quickly to let the TSW know it may be willing to take over the job of controlling the logs which control the water levels on Highlands lakes, which act as the reservoir of water for the canal system.

If some other agency is given the job, then council fears the needs of the Highlands will be overlooked.

"My fear is who is to say (the new agency) will maintain the system that's there now," said Warden Murray Fearrey at Wednesday's county council meeting. "Maybe the county could tender for the job. Maybe we could use the existing staff and some of our own people."

The TSW employs three full-time and three seasonal people at its station on Hwy. 121 east of Haliburton village. Although instructions on how much water is to be released or retained by the dams comes from a computer in Peterborough, it's these workers who do the actual work.

Lake levels have always been a sensitive issue in the Highlands. The past few summers have been reasonably wet, so water levels are relatively high for most of the summer. In dry years, however, some lakes see a vertical drop of 10 feet, making navigation difficult and restricting boat travel to some water-access cottages.

In the past, a local committee has worked hard to ensure the Highlands' needs are part of the drawdown equation. After achieving many goals, this committee has fallen by the wayside, but county council says it may be time to resurrect it again, especially in light of all the operations changes being considered.

"We need to be masters of our own destiny," said Bicroft reeve Bill Howe, who agreed to sit on the new committee with Glamorgan deputy-reeve Bill Challis, Stanhope deputy-reeve Eleanor Harrison and interested members of the public. "Unless you keep your eye close on it, we can suffer, especially if the headwaters get dry."

Some cottages on Kennisis Lake are being sold because the owners are unhappy about lake levels, Challis said. "The value of a lot of lake properties is linked to those lake levels."

The TSW has said that Canadian Heritage/Parks employees in the Ontario region will have first right to make bids. Their deadline is October 15. If they're not forthcoming or accepted, bidding for the service will open to the general public.

The deadline for comments on the TSW's plans is the last day of the month.

Terry Fox's dream kept alive

Fifty-three participants in Haliburton's 14th annual Terry Fox Run jogged, walked and cycled the 10-kilometre route, above, raising $2,537.90 for the Canadian Cancer Society. Some, like golden retriever Maggie, at left, owned by Michael and Marie Turriff, went out to watch and cheer on the participants. This year's largest single pledge, $397, was raised by Dan Buttenham of Burlington.

Could 'super jail' be coming to Highlands?

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

County councillors reacted with excitement to news that the province may consider building a "super jail" in the Highlands.

Minden Reeve Jeanne Anthon said "it could just be false hope", but she has heard that the Solicitor General's office is considering the county as a possible site for one of the new jails, which are hoped to solve the over-crowding at existing jails.

The Ministry has said that land "northeast of Toronto" was being considered, but her "source" said it was Haliburton County.

If that's the case, the province hasn't told Haliburton-Victoria MPP Chris Hodgson of the proposal.

On Thursday he told The Echo he isn't aware of any provincial plan to locate a jail here.

The Ministry of the Solicitor General has proposed building two super jails — one north of Toronto, the other east of Toronto — but has not officially selected sites, said Hodgson.

When selecting prospective locations the province will take into consideration criteria such as transportation routes and proximity to courts, he said.

If county council wants one of the jails located in the Highlands, it would have to apply to the province to be considered, said Hodgson.

And that's what councillors have decided to do.

About five years ago, the county put in a bid for a new minimum security prison, which was eventually built in Muskoka. The proposal is going to be updated and sent to the Ministry to let it know county council is very receptive to the idea. Municipalities are also being urged to send letters of support.

"If you have any land that was suitable, if you identify it (in your proposal), that might help also," Anthon said at Wednesday's county council meeting.

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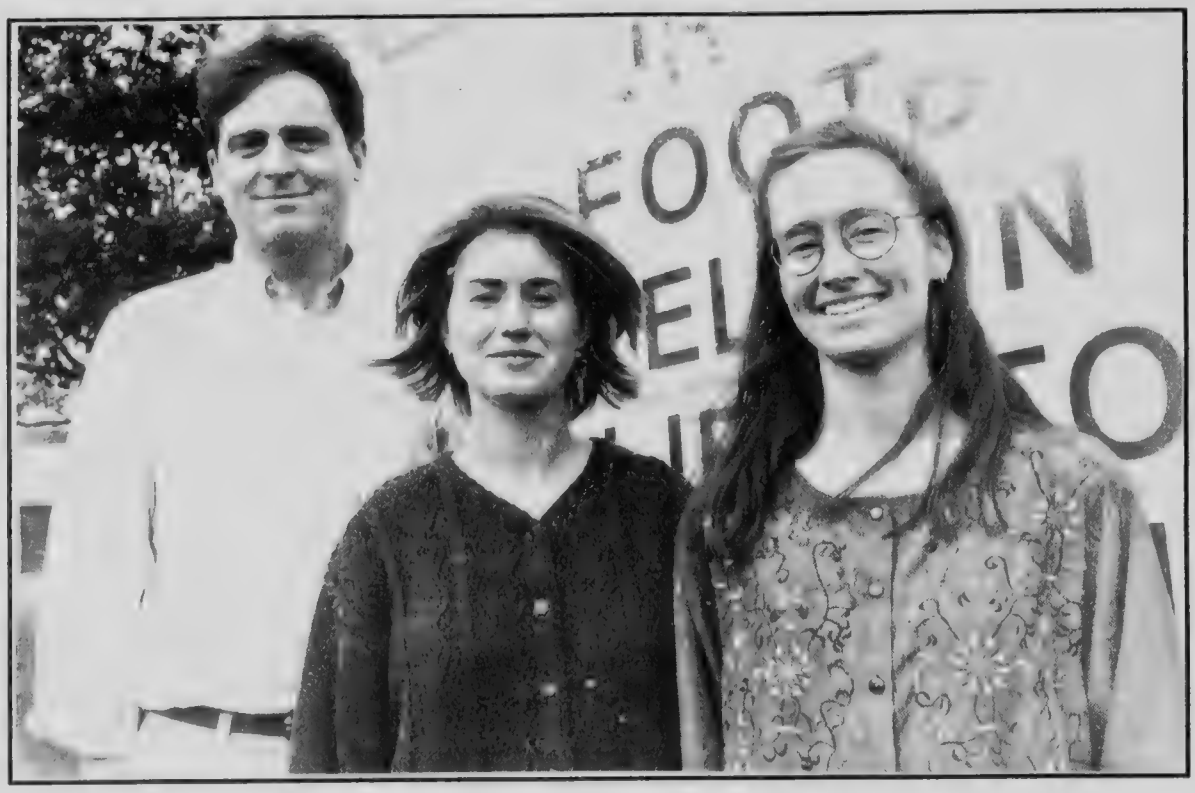
New HHSS teachers grateful for jobs during lean times

■ *Rob Stonehouse, Jacqui Miller and Wendy Heinz have joined the teaching staff at Haliburton's high school.*



by PETER DOWNS
Staff Reporter

Three weeks into the school year, three young teachers at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School are still amazed by their good fortune of landing jobs at a time when contract teaching positions are quickly disappearing along with provincial funding.

Wendy Heinz has joined the high school's science department, Jacqui Miller teaches English and business English and Rob Stonehouse teaches construction technology courses.

Miller, who was hired straight out of the University of Windsor's education program, says it has become rare for teachers to be offered full-time work upon graduation.

"It's unbelievable. To be able to go into a full-time teaching job is like the equivalent of winning an Oscar. There just aren't that many jobs out there," said the Oakville native. " ... To get a job in this market is just a gift."

"It's not that common anymore to apply for a job, be interviewed and then get the job" without having some prior connection to the board, said Heinz.

But that's how each of the teachers was hired.

"I'm still driving in to work and looking around me and thinking, 'Wow, this is where I live,'" said Heinz, originally from Toronto.

Stonehouse, who previously taught for three years in Brockville, has been impressed by the tight-knit community feel among the staff and students at the high school.

When they aren't busy preparing the next day's lessons, the three new teachers plan to get involved in the school's extracurricular activities.

Heinz will be helping the girls' field hockey team as a teacher supervisor and is getting involved in the Sunship Earth project with her students at Camp Wanakita.

Miller, who has joined the Messiah Choir, said she's hoping to help the school's arts programs grow. She has also joined the school's literary society.

Stonehouse plans to get involved in any projects that require building, such as sets school performances. He and some students will also help construct some outbuildings for cross-country/hiking trails.

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West Guilford families enjoy special times together

by ELEANOR COOPER
West Guilford news

The Claridges, George and Sylvia, have returned from Scotland where they attended their son, Brian and Carolyn Laycock's wedding in Glasgow. Their 12 days were most enjoyably spent. On return, Brian and Caroline celebrated a second ceremony at Parry Sound.

Surrounded by family and friends, including her brother Joe Lindsay and Jill Hope from England, Marj Bain was treated to her seventieth birthday in a party at the Centre on Saturday, September 15.

The surprise was planned at the Baptist Church and most of that congregation appeared to be present. Marj was given a beautiful corsage to compliment her lovely suit, and appeared to be enjoying the occasion thoroughly.

St. Peter's church annual Thanksgiving supper happens on October 12: sittings at 5, 6 and 7 p.m. Tickets are on sale from Harry Davis at 754-2216.

If you wish to enjoy a fall car ride and picnic, join the crew from St. George's church at 10:30 a.m. on September 29 to go out to Furnace Falls park area for pot luck. Bring food, bring friends, enjoy something different! Late comers from St. Andrew's will join the picnic later on as well. Call 457-1933.

Maple Lake United Church celebrated its 95th anniversary service with the Rev. Phelps of Lindsay as guest preacher. Wayne Cooper supplied special music with two solos and the choir was led by Kathleen Owens. Refreshments were served afterwards and all present enjoyed the time together, especially with the lovely weather on Sunday, September 15.

All are welcome to Michael and Michelle Chumbley's wedding dance on September 26 at Minden Community Centre.

Little Theatre rehearsals are on twice-weekly. Watch for Neil Simon's "The Odd Couple", directed by Heather Scully of Highlands Little Theatre.

First concert of the annual series is a two piano team at the Archie Stouffer School on October 20.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION: When Marij Bain celebrated her 70th birthday, her family was on hand to join in the festivities. Pictured, from left, are Mrs. Bain's son Ron Bain, her brother Joe Lindsay, Mrs. Bain, and her sons, Bernard and David Bain.

Wilberforce joins in Legion Week

by HILDA CLARK
Wilberforce news

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Carnarvon pot luck supper a delicious success

CARNARVON *News*

Ann McKay
489-2924

A pot luck supper was held in the C.E. Building on Saturday, September 14, in appreciation of the volunteers who worked on enlarging our kitchen and putting the new siding on the building.

The next project on the list is the new heating system.

My next door neighbours and good friends Jack and Hazel Gregory celebrated 68 years of marriage on September 19 and have enjoyed all of them.

They are both active church members and enjoy drives around the countryside almost daily. Love and congratulations from the community.

Cecil and Yvonne Penney spent the weekend in Kirkland Lake with daughter, Susan and family.

Kenneth and Bill McKay are in the north at the McKay cottage, up on Matagami Lake.

Work has begun on Highway 35 by Royel Paving so leave home a little early, there may be holdups.

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If you would like to take part in the seat belt count, here is your opportunity. The Ministry of Transportation is looking for a volunteer coordinator to head up this project. The work is simple. The coordinator needs to make up survey teams (as few as two people can be a team) and fax this information to MTO. The MTO will send you a seat belt kit complete with t-shirts, a fact sheet on seat belts, data sheets for recording, instructions, safety guidelines and publicity tips. On Saturday, October 5, volunteers take up safe positions at local intersections and count drivers wearing seat belts.

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News

Tiia Billings
457-2733

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Glamorgan Community Centre abuzz with activities for everyone

GOODERHAM

News

Anne Costeloe
447-2400

With the start of the academic year, the various community activities begin again. The Glamorgan Community Centre is again full of life.

On Monday evenings bingo is run by the Gooderham Seniors.

Girl Guides, for girls aged 9 through 12, will be Tuesdays from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Registration, uniform exchange, and the first meeting of the year will be this week. For more information contact Anne Costeloe at 447-2400. For information about Brownies (girls aged 7 and 8) or Sparks (ages 5 and 6) contact Sherry Graham, 447-3280. All three Guiding units are looking for more leaders to help run the weekly meetings. Any women interested in volunteering to help lead please contact Anne or Sherry.

On Thursdays, the Gooderham Seniors hold euchre. Euchre scores for Thursday, the 19th, are not available. New players are welcome to join in.

The Gooderham Pentecostal Church is now running an after-school boys and girls club, on Wednesdays. For more information contact Pastor Steel at 447-2177.

Gooderham school students are now settled into the routine of school. Two Gooderham children have been elected to the Student Council at J.D.H.E.S. Congratulations to Tina Costeloe, in Grade 7 and Tanya Hunter in Grade 8.

Gooderham Elementary School "Student of the Week" for the first week of school was Carla Noseworthy. Carla was recognized for her work in math. This week's "Student of the Week" is Tammie Billings. Tammie being recognized for her work in citizenship. Congratulations to both.

Next week, on Thursday evening, Gooderham Elementary School will be holding its open house. There will be a barbecue, followed by an opportunity to meet the staff, and a "Sing Song". Everyone is welcome.

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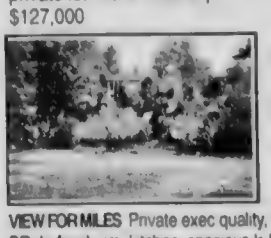

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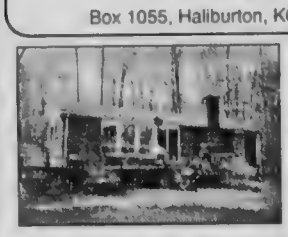

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WILBERFORCE *News*

Hilda Clark

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If I have missed reporting an event that readers feel should be reported please give a call and tell me about it. I can't get out to everything and need information to write the column.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL ACT AND IN THE MATTER OF A PROPOSED BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF HALIBURTON TO STOP UP, CLOSE AND CONVEY THOSE PORTIONS OF COUNTY ROAD No. 19 SITUATED IN LOTS 2, 3, 4 & 5, CONCESSION XI AND LOTS 4,5 &6, CONCESSION XII AND LOT 5 CONCESSION XIII IN THE TOWNSHIP OF DUDLEY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Sections 297 and 300 of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.45, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the County of Haliburton proposes to consider, if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held at the County Administration Building, in the Town of Minden, Ontario, on November 20, 1996 at 2:00 p.m., a by-law to Stop Up, Close and Convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:

Parts 2, 5, 6, 9, 10, 12, 13, 15, 16, 19, 21, 22, 29 & 30 on Registered Plan No. 19R6108, Parts 3, 4, 5, 16, 17, 19 & 23 on Registered Plan 19R6109 and Part 4 on Registered Plan 19R2787.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said by-law at its meeting to be held at the time and place above mentioned, the Council of the County of Haliburton shall then and there hear in person, or by his council, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applies to be heard.

For more information on the proposed by-law, or to inspect the survey plan, please contact Doug Ray at the County of Haliburton Roads Department, 3 St Germain Street, Minden, Ontario. Telephone 1-705-286-1762. Office hours are 7 a.m. to 5: 30 p.m. Monday to Thursday.

DATED at the Township of Minden this 23rd day of September, 1996

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The Corporation of the County of Haliburton

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Phyllis Briscoe
766-2237

Birthday greetings to Ann MacDonald, Nancy MacDonald, Teres Lippert and Matthew Fuller. Congratulations to Don and Catherine Lillow and Peggy and Don MacKay who celebrated wedding anniversaries. We congratulate them.

We don't like the weatherman substituting liquid sunshine for the real thing, but I guess the earth had dried out and needed a drink. The precipitation hasn't turned white yet and we believe it won't until just before Christmas.

Speaking of Santa Claus time, I know there are those organized people who have all their gifts purchased by the end of September and wrapped before the end of October. How great they must feel. I'll never know for I am not one of them. The best I can do is start making my fruit cakes early. Which reminds me, it's about that time.

The Dorset Lions Club wishes to thank all the seasonal and year round participants in their recent 50/50 draw. They had purchases from all the provinces across Canada except Manitoba and Prince Edward Island. There were also tickets purchased by visitors from the United States, England and as far away as Australia.

Thanks to everyone for their support in this 50/50 draw and we hope that you will continue to support the Dorset Lions in the future. The winner of the 50/50 draw was Richard Keown of Dorset. Congratulations.

The Lake of Bays Skating Club is preparing for the fall and winter activity at the Baysville Arena. Registration is Thursday, September 26 from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

A lovely party was held at the home of Jack and Phyllis Matthews in Bracebridge on Saturday, September 14. The party was in honour of Phyllis and Jack's 50th wedding anniversary. The house was packed all afternoon with guests from all over - Oshawa, Hamilton, Dorset, Orillia, Toronto, North Bay and many other areas. Delicious refreshments were served and everyone enjoyed a lovely afternoon, not only enjoying a visit with Phyllis, but the renewing acquaintances with old friends not seen for many years. We wish Phyllis and Jack many more years of happiness.

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PART-TIME OFFICE WORKER POSITION
Funded by The Ontario Ministry of Education and Training
- Up to 8 hours/week
- Minimum wage
- To start immediately
- This position is in place until March 31, 1997
- You must be 15 to 24 years of age and attending school full-time

You must meet the following criteria:
- A dependent of one of the following: Social Assistance Benefits; Family Benefits Allowance; General Welfare Assistance **OR** A Crown Ward of the Children's Aid Society, Catholic Children's Aid Society or Jewish Family and Child Services **OR** A student receiving GWA in his/her own right.

Applicants should have: Outgoing personality/good communication skills; Organized, reliable, some computer skills
Duties: Photocopying, typing, computer skills, organize and operate (small) library system, assist to prepare for part-time evening classes
Please submit a resumé by September 27, 1996 to:
Sir Sandford Fleming College
P.O. Box 839
Haliburton, Ontario
K0M 1S0
RE: Part-time Office Assistant
For further information please call
(705) 457-1680
CA

210 HELP WANTED

THE HALIBURTON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION invites application for the position of Long Term Occasional Teacher of Special Education & Secretarial. The successful candidate must hold qualifications in both subjects. This position is providing coverage for a member of staff on maternity leave for the period October 21, 1996 to January 21, 1997. Please send written applications to Mr. Gary Brohman, Principal, Haliburton Highlands Secondary School, Box 390, Haliburton, Ontario K0M 1S0. Deadline for applications: 4:00 p.m., October 4, 1996. **CA**

210 HELP WANTED

UNEMPLOYED? Looking for training? Have an employment action plan? Information sessions (1 hr.) about upcoming courses and new HRDC (CEC) eligibility rules will be held at our office: Wednesday, Sept. 25 at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m., Friday, Sept. 27 at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. UPCOMING COURSES: Career Exploration: Sept. 30 - Oct. 25; Business Plan Development: Oct. 7 - Nov. 1; Computer Electronic Communication: Oct. 15 - Nov. 15; Career Exploration: Nov. 25 - Dec. 20. Mark an info session on your calendar today. **Haliburton Employment Centre, York St., 457-1316.** **CA**

THE DEADLINE FOR CLASSIFIEDS is Friday at 5 p.m.

210 HELP WANTED

JANITOR

Cleaner II ($15.52 hour)
LESLIE M. FROST NATURAL RESOURCES CENTRE
Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources
AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

DUTIES:
The Frost Centre is looking for an energetic, team-oriented person to provide part-time janitorial services for its 190 bed residential complex until December 30, 1996. The successful candidate will work up to a maximum of 32 hours per week as part of the Team which supports the Centre's clients.

QUALIFICATIONS:
- good knowledge of cleaning methods/materials;
- initiative, tact and diplomacy;
- excellent customer service attitude;
- ability to clearly understand oral and written instructions;
- physically able to move furniture/equipment/materials;
- knowledge of worker responsibilities under the Occupational Health & Safety Act.

Applications/resumes must be received by October 8, 1996 by the Frost Centre Manager, Leslie M. Frost Natural Resources Centre, RR2, Minden, Ontario, K0M 2K0.

Candidates are asked to include a brief letter explaining how their skills and knowledge relate to the qualifications.

Ontario

235 TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

Kawartha Lakes, Northumberland, Haliburton
Training Board is seeking an
ADMINISTRATOR
for a full-time position

Position Description:

... assists in the identification of training needs and oversees the ongoing monitoring and evaluation of training programs
... assists board committees in the fulfillment of their duties and in conjunction with the executive committee ensures fiscal accountability
... provides overall supervision of personnel and coordinates development and maintenance of a Quality Assurance program that ensures ongoing evaluation of service and personnel

Qualifications and Experience:

... successful completion of a relevant post-secondary education (3-5 years) or equivalent experience in a related field
... 3 years recent supervisory management experience with previous financial expertise essential
... PC literate with strong skills in database management, word processing, spreadsheets and Windows
... demonstrated research and report writing skills
... excellent organizational & communication skills
... proven commitment to lifelong learning
... previous experience working with a volunteer board
... bilingual (an asset)

* Proposed starting date: November 4, 1996
* Salary commensurate with ability and job expectations

Please forward resume, in confidence, by Oct. 4, 1996 to:
Kawartha Lakes, Northumberland,
Haliburton Training Board
P.O. Box 182
Peterborough, Ontario
K9J 3R8
... an equal opportunity employer ...
We wish to thank you for your application, but we advise that only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

235 TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

Want to become an entrepreneur?
We can help make your dream become a reality.

If you already have:
- A great idea
- A desire to be self-sufficient
- High energy levels
- Lots of ambition

But you need A BUSINESS PLAN

This four-week *Business Plan Development Program* will help you:
- produce a complete, comprehensive business plan
- meet professionals who can provide information on funding sources
- take the necessary steps to get your business started
- network with others intent on becoming successful entrepreneurs

The *Business Plan Development Program* gives you individual hands-on help with your business plan as opposed to another "how-to-booklet" that leaves you on your own to figure it out.

Class sizes are **small, individual help** is provided for the **researching** and writing of the business plan. Our professional staff are all successful entrepreneurs with extensive experience helping other entrepreneurs in writing plans, providing sources of legal and financial advice and using sound methods to research your business idea. If you want a **focused, no nonsense approach** that will give you a **completed business plan** you can take to your funding agency, this program is for you.

To be eligible for this program you must meet one of the following conditions:
1) currently in receipt of an Employment Insurance benefit;
2) have been receiving U.I. some time during the past three years;
3) have been receiving a maternity or parental leave benefit some time in the past five years.

If you do not meet the above criteria, you may register in the Business Plan Development Program on a fee for service basis.

For more information on program content, call Mowbray, Frankum and Associates at 1-888-669-2729.

For information on Employment Insurance eligibility, call 457-1316.

Program Dates: October 7 to November 1, 1996

235 TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

fall'96

H.R.D.C. (C.E.C.) Sponsored Training:
Computer/Electronic Communications
(with Windows 95)
October 15th to November 15th

Also ask about these other certificate & diploma programs
- Windows 95 & MS Office..... evenings
- Hospitality Management..... 17 weeks
- Transport Dispatcher..... 6 months
- Software Specialist..... 6 months

Financial assistance may be available to qualified students.

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The Dawson Gray Bldg., Haliburton

- Are you tired of one short-term, low paying job after another?
- Would you like a career that has potential for the future?
- Would you like to identify and make the most of your special skills and abilities?

If you answered **YES!** to these questions, then plan to attend the upcoming four-week program called ***Career Exploration*** sponsored by HRDC.

This fast-paced program will help you:
- assess your current skills and abilities
- match skills and interests with careers with potential
- use current research methods to evaluate labour market information
- develop career goals and methods to reach them

At the end of the program you will have prepared a personal career plan including skills assessment, goals and objectives and a solid plan for reaching your career goals.
To be eligible for this program you must meet one of the following conditions:
1) currently in receipt of an Employment Insurance benefit;
2) have been receiving U.I. some time during the past 3 years;
3) have been receiving a maternity or parental leave benefit some time in the past 5 years.

If you do not meet the above criteria you may register in Career Exploration on a fee for service basis.

For more information on program content, call Mowbray, Frankum and Associates at 1-888-669-2729

For information on Employment Insurance eligibility, call 457-1316

PROGRAM DATES:
Session 1 September 30 to October 25
Session 2 November 25 to December 20

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Minden Customers

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235 TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

HEALTH CARE AIDE
OCAS CODE: HCH

Sir Sandford Fleming College is offering a Health Care Aide Program to start in October. Students *must* register through the Ontario College Application Service (OCAS). Information and registration packages are available at the college. The fee is $615.40 plus text. There is a $30. application fee payable at the time of registration to OCAS. For more information call SSFC at (705) 457–1680.

CA

MICROCOMPUTER APPLICATIONS
(In the Windows Environment)
OCAS CODE: MCA

Sir Sandford Fleming College, Haliburton Campus, is offering a Microcomputer Applications program. This program will be taught four days per week (Monday to Thursday), for 10 weeks, September 30, 1996 to December 6, 1996, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. This course will offer All Windows software programs and will include: Windows 3.1, Microsoft Word 6.0, Microsoft Excel 5.0, Microsoft Access 2.0, and CorelDraw 5.0. Plus, students will be introduced to the *information highway* and will learn how to access the Internet and E-Mail. Students will be able to utilize their newly-learned computer skills in both local businesses and in major centres. The fee for this course is $438.00 plus $30.00 for OCAS Registration. To register, or obtain more information, please call SSFC @ 457–1680. CA

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STORAGE AVAILABLE - 22 X 24 ft. garage, 8 ft. doors, dry - for boat, car or whatever. Hwy. 35, 3/4 mile north of Ox Narrows. Price negotiable. Phone 1(905) 374–0836.

280 COMING EVENTS

50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
HAROLD & PEGGY FAWNS

Harold and Peggy's family would like to invite friends and neighbours to join them for an anniversary celebration. It will take place in the lounge at Echo Hills Legion Apartments in Haliburton **from 1 to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 5, 1996**
"Best Wishes" only please

CA

AQUACISE
Thursdays - 5:00 to 6:00
at PineStone
starting October 3
10 weeks for $50.00
Call 286–1940.

HALIBURTON LEGION

BINGO

Every WEDNESDAY
7:15pm
$300 JACKPOT
Every Wednesday
$50. per game

280 COMING EVENTS

At
Agnes Jamieson Gallery
The Four Seasons Collection
*by **Stanley Fulford***
Plus a Studio Tour preview
Sept. 13 - Oct. 6
10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Tuesday - Saturday
176 Bobcaygeon Rd. N.
Minden • 286-3763

CA

Family and friends are invited to a
'Farewell Get Together'
for
DANNY & JENNIFER BILLINGS
on September 29th from 1 to 4 p.m.
at the Gooderham Community Centre

FIREARMS ACQUISITION CERTIFICATE
Course Material and Exam - $75.00
Fri., Sept. 27 - 7 to 10 p.m.
Sat., Sept. 28 - all day
Sun., Sept. 29 - Exam
at the Tory Hill Community Centre
Must preregister
Call (705) 448-3279 or (613) 339-1714

GIGANTIC CRAFT SHOW - Saturday, October 12, 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. **Garry's Garden Gallery**, Kent St., Lindsay. – *Over 50 Vendors* – CA

HALIBURTON GIRL GUIDES

First meeting of Haliburton Girl Guides will be on
Tuesday, October 1, 1996
at 7:00p.m.
at the Orange Lodge.
Parents can register at this time.
For further information, call Laurie Smith
754-3543

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Seven days in Branson Mo., Oct. 10-16. Six top shows (including Lawrence Welk Theatre), 10 Meals, tours, shopping, motorcoach travel, accommodation and more.

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HALIBURTON COUNTY STUDIO TOUR

Saturday & Sunday
OCTOBER 5 & 6
10:00am -6:00pm
If you need a brochure call 286-1556

280 COMING EVENTS

HALIBURTON CHRISTIAN OUTREACH
presents
GOSPEL MUSIC by
Evangelist Cecil Glover
Fri., Oct. 4 - 7:30 p.m.
Sat., Oct. 5 - 7:30 p.m.
Sun., Oct. 6 - 10:30 a.m.
Children's video provided
Everyone welcome!
Come be blessed!
Located below Henwood's Variety

CA

HALIBURTON HIGHLANDS 17TH ANNUAL CONCERT SERIES TICKETS
Now available from
Rails' End Gallery and Nancy's Flowers, in Haliburton;
and the I.D.A. Drug Store, Minden
First concert - duo pianists -
is Sunday, October 20,
at Archie Stouffer Public School, Minden.

CA

HAVE BREAKFAST WITH
CHRIS HODGSON, MPP
at the
Royal Canadian Legion, Br. 624, Wilberforce, Ont.
Sat., October 5, 1996
Breakfast served - 8:30
Question & Answer Period - 9:00 to 10:30 a.m.
$6:00 per person includes breakfast
Sponsored by Victoria Haliburton Provincial P.C. Association
For tickets: Call after 6 p.m.
Lorry Brandon, 457-9335
Jerry & Dale Walker, 457-3134

CA

HUNTER EDUCATION SAFETY COURSE
October 5 & 6, 1996
- Two days -
Last chance before Moose Hunt
Brian Austen
286–4634

IT'S DANCE TIME
at Harcourt Community Centre
Saturday, October 5
9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.
Band "COULAS COUNTRY"
Fiddler CYRIL PEPLINSKI
Admission: $12.00/couple
$6.00/single
Lunch included
Restricted to 19 yrs. & over
Special Occasion permit

CA

Join
HALIBURTON COUNTY HOME SUPPORT SERVICES
November 23 & 24, 1996
in Niagara Falls to see
JOHNNY CASH, JUNE CARTER CASH & JIM NABORS
Taking registrations now
457-2941 or
1-800-567-2941

CA

LEARN TO PLAY GOLF THIS FALL. Book your private, affordable week day lesson. Don't wait for spring do it now. Phone 286–4922. CA

THE FALL STUDIO TOUR COLLECTION
A sampling of the works of over 25 professional artisans who reside here in the Highlands, will be on display from
Sept. 21 to Oct. 6, 1996
in 'The Waiting Room' at the **Rails' End Gallery** in Haliburton

CA

CLASSIFIEDS

457-1037 Fax:457-3275

280 COMING EVENTS

The **Rails' End Gallery** is pleased to present
Underwaterscapes
by **Kathy Holland**
An ongoing series of paintings and works on paper which draw from the visual richness of the sea.
The show runs from
Sept. 21 to Oct 12, 1996
CA

We are now accepting quality consignment antiques for our
2ND ANNUAL ANTIQUE TOUR
on Sept. 28 & 29
Please call early to ensure space.
Gambell's Antiques and Nostalgia
Main St., Minden
286–1532
CA

WOMEN'S WEIGHT LOSS WEEK: Oct. 21 - 25 - Mon. to Wed. or Wed. to Fri. at The Sunny Rock Lodge, learn low fat food prep., discussion, fun. Fee with or without accommodation. Phone 286–4922. **CA**

290 YARD AND GARAGE SALES

YARD SALE
Saturday, September 28
9:00 to 1:00
Kashaga Lane
off Kashaga Drive
Roll away bed, kitchen sink, dishes & much more!

YARD SALE
Saturday, Sept. 28
Victoria Street, Haliburton
(3rd house on right past Emmerson Lumber)
457-9195

300 AUCTIONS

MABEE AUCTION SALE
Sat., Sept. 28 - 10 a.m.
FARM SOLD
Property of Glen Hill
R.R. 3, Bobcaygeon
To be held at the Lazy Farmer, 2 km. north of Hwy. 649, just north of Hwy. 36
See Signs
FEATURING: Antiques, flat to wall, furniture, farm machinery, collectables, large quantity of Model A parts.Terms cash. No reserve. Don't miss it. **Calvin Mabee Auctions, R.R. 1, Lindsay (705) 374-4800 or 454-2841.** **CA**

McLEAN AUCTION SALE
Sat., Sept. 28 - 10 a.m.
Farm machinery, vehicle, RV, boat auction at Orval McLean Auction Centre - Lindsay
Now accepting consignments of tractors, farm machinery, cars, trucks, 4X4's, vans, trailers, motorhomes, RV's, travel

290 YARD AND GARAGE SALES

300 AUCTIONS

CONTINUED...
and tent trailers, aluminum fishing boats, cruisers, speed boats, riding lawn mowers, shop, woodworking, construction equipment, selling for Alan Lawson, Fisher Trustee in Bankruptcy - 25' Bayfield sailboat and '89 Ford Aerostar van. Also 20' Drummond cuddy boat with new V8 Ford I/O and tandem trailer, 19' cutter w/140 Merc. I/O and trailer, 18' cedar strip boat, 16' fiberglass boat, 15' Weymouth wooden boat, 14.5' Tempest w/85 h.p. Chrysler and trailer, small pontoon boat trailer, selling for a secured creditor - 30' mobile home trailer w/2 tip-outs, '73 Dodge 26' motorhome, '71 Dodge Coachman 20' motorhome, 24' travel trailer, qty. of new and used trailer hitches, 20' flatdeck goose neck float, '80 Suzuki dirt bike, 3 wheel electric Harley Davidson golf cart w/new batteries, '89 Ford Mustang, '88 Tempo, '90 Dodge Spirit, '91 Sable, '89 Chry. Dynasty, '91 Sprint, '91 Ford Tempo, '92 Olds Royal, '85 Honda Accord, field car, '86 Honda ATV - 350 cc, 4X4, 32" mower attachment w/10 h.p. Honda for ATV, hydraulic wood splitter, 5 h.p. 24" snowblower, Toro snow thrower, industrial vacuum, rototiller, partial list. Consignments arriving daily. Large items sell first. To consign or for info call **McLean Auctions, 324-2783, Lindsay.** To list your sale call **1-800-461-6499, Orval and Barry McLean, Auctioneers.** **CA**

SWITZER'S AUCTION SALE
Wed., October 2
6:00 p.m. sharp!
Sales are held at the "Auction Mallet" located on Hwy. #62, 10 minutes south of Bancroft or 35 minutes north of Madoc
Antique spinning wheel, wool winder, matched burled walnut bedroom suite (needs refinishing), new Nadeau colonial maple dining suite, glass, china, tools, collectables, antiques, and many more items too numerous to list. **Switzer's Auction Service, 613-332-5581/800-694-2609.** **CA**

WHITES AUCTION SALE
Sat., Sept. 28 - 10 a.m.
Estate of the late Jim Dillabough
to be held at 56 Bridge Street East, in Bancroft (also known as Hwy. 28 E)
Sale will consist of furniture, household goods, antiques and collectables, 14 ft. aluminum boat, 4.5 Johnson motor, MTD, 10 h.p. riding mower, tent trailer (low reserve), tools, camping equipment, etc. **Whites Auction Services, 1-613-339-2350. Auctioneer: Oscar White.** **CA**

290 YARD AND GARAGE SALES

FLEA MARKET

Sponsored by: Ladies Auxiliary, Branch 129, Royal Canadian Legion
Saturday, October 5, 1996
Time: 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.
Place: Legion Hall, Mountain Street, Haliburton

Do your Christmas shopping early. See the many items displayed - ceramics, knitting, sewing, clothing, toys, books, antiques, candy, jewellery, homemade baking, preserves, maple syrup, herbs, stained glass and much, much more. A sincere Thank You for all the support received for this year's Flea Markets. This is our last Flea Market for 1996. We look forward to seeing you again in 1997. Watch for the dates, come Spring. Proceeds to community projects. Lunch Counter and Snack Bar will be open!
For further information phone 457-1467

310 NOTICES

FALL SHOWER OF DOLLARS WINNERS: Don Holden, Robert Pearsell, Carolyn Greenfield, D. Stokes, Gord Lee, Roy Boughner Sr. Grand prize winner - Martin Harvey. Sponsored by Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Assoc. **CA**

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Haliburton Highlands Guild of Fine Arts
WINNING WEDNESDAYS
Lottery Tickets now available for the 1996/97 season
First Draw: **Oct. 9/96**
Tickets may be purchased at The Rails' End Gallery, Haliburton or Campbell's Garden Centre, Minden.
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HUNTERS: Room and board, home cooking in warm atmosphere. 50 acres plus crown land for hunting. For more information call 754–3945.

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Sept. 24, 7:00 p.m.
Full kitchen, bar and hall facilities available at reasonable rates. Call Cheryl Cooper, **754–3210.** **CA**

WILBERFORCE FUN FAIR RAFFLE & 50/50 WINNERS. 50/50: June Timmons, $139.50. Raffle: Blue Jay tickets, Kraft tote bag - Brandon Bowman; Santa's Village Family Pass - Lorraine Manary; men's Western Star jacket - Melanie Tripp; Classical AM/FM radio - Kelly Clancy; badminton set - Merle Clarke; Adidas watch - Arnold Lockwood; soccer ball and duffle bag - Deanne Robichaud.

320 PERSONAL

1-800-433-3284 for recorded messages about the Baha'i Faith, its teachings, and perspectives on social issues. **CA**

Are you a woman who is:
• being hurt or threatened?
• being forced sexually?
• Living in fear?
Are you afraid for the safety of your children?
SIRCH Women's Emergency House can provide a safe, warm, friendly place for women and their children to come. Stay for one night or longer. There is no pressure for you to make decisions -- we are here to help in any way we can. You can call us 24 hours a day at (705) 457–2417. Phones are answered by staff or volunteer (no machines). Collect calls accepted. **CA**

330 THANK YOU

A VERY SPECIAL thank you to my children, neighbours, friends and relatives, for making my birthday surprise a special day to remember. A special thank you for all the lovely gifts and cards. Many thanks, **Marj Bain.**

330 THANK YOU

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK my many friends for their support during Chrissie's illness. Thanks also to The Legion Branch 129, the Haliburton and Area Lions Club, Women on Snow, Jennifer's Rainbow, and Parent Support Services, **Eric Cormier.**

340 BIRTHS

RILEY: Cory and Vicki are happy to announce the birth of their daughter,
SYDNEY VICTORIA
On September 14, 10 lbs., 15 oz. A sister for twins, Nicholas and Patrick, granddaughter for Colleen Riley and Vivian and Martin Hassam.

CONGRATULATIONS MARIA & KEVIN!
Kyle Michael Warburton
was born on Sept. 6, 1996 at 6:25 p.m., weighing 7.0 lbs.
Proud Grandparents:
Ken and Deanna Rosenberg
Gary and Lois Warburton
Proud Great Grandparents:
Gwen Cox and Joe Rivers
Ken and Ruth Teasdale
Mrs. Lila Warburton
Proud Great Great Grandparent: Greta Curry
Loving Thoughts and Wishes from:
All Aunts and Uncles

TWINS!
WATSON: Leon and Jodie (nee McKnight) are thrilled (and relieved) to announce the safe arrival of
SAMUEL ELIJAH
(5 lbs., 13 oz.)
and
SAVANNA MACKENZIE
(5 lbs., 4 oz.)
Born August 30, 1996 at the Mount Sinai Hospital. Proud grandparents are Gary and Darlene McKnight and Jenny Vie and Stanly Watson. First great grandchildren for Evelyn Henderson and first niece and nephew for Cory and Gavin McKnight.

WESTLAKE: Kevin and Kathy (Shipley) welcomed with much joy and thanksgiving, a boy,
EARL THOMAS
Born September 4, 1996 at Civic Hospital, Peterborough, weighing in at 8 pounds, 14 ounces. A brother for big sister, Brittany. Proud and happy grandparents are Tom and Marilyn Westlake of Omemee and Jan Shipley of Haliburton.

370 WEDDINGS

Mr. & Mrs. Garwood Thomas
and
Mr. & Mrs. Lyall Leavens
together with their children
DONNA & BRYAN
invite friends and family to a wedding dance in honour of their marriage at the Stanhope Fire Hall
Sat., Sept. 28 - 8 p.m.

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together with their children,
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invite friends and family to a wedding dance in honour of their marriage, at the Minden Community Centre
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390 DEATH NOTICES

FERGUSON, FARQUHAR EDGAR: Passed away at Avalon Care Nursing Home, Orangeville, on Thursday, September 12, 1996, in his 92nd year. Beloved husband of Catherine McLean; loved father of Jean and her husband Cliff Heckel of Haliburton and Don and his wife Helen of Orangeville; dear grandfather of Gregory, Lynne, Lisa, Sabrina, Michelle and Drew and great grandfather of Marta, Caylen, Charlotte, Jessie-Jeanne, Andee, Derek and Drew; also sadly missed by his sister Mary McPhaden. Funeral service was held on Monday, September 16, 1996. Interment Forest Lawn Cemetery.

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All creditors and others having claims against the Estate of ELIZABETH VIOLA BISHOP, late of the Township of Dysart, in the County of Haliburton, who died on or about the 29th day of August, 1996, are required to file the particulars of such claim with the undersigned Executors for the said Estate on or before the 8th day of October, 1996.
AND TAKE NOTICE that after the last day named, the assets of the said Estate, will be distributed among the persons hereto entitled having regard only to the claims of which the Executors of the Estate being H. Curry Bishop and Gregory Bishop, shall have notice. Dated at Haliburton, Ont. this 13th day of September, 1996 by H. Curry Bishop, P.O. Box 660, Haliburton, Ont. K0M 1S0, for the Executors of the Estate of Elizabeth Viola Bishop. **CA**

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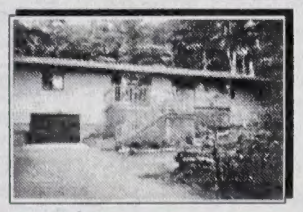

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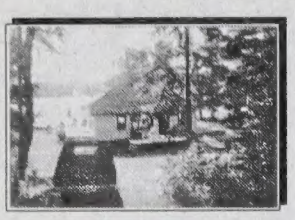

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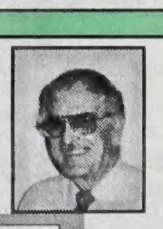

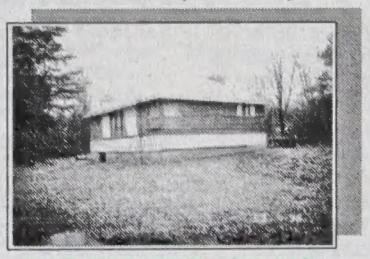

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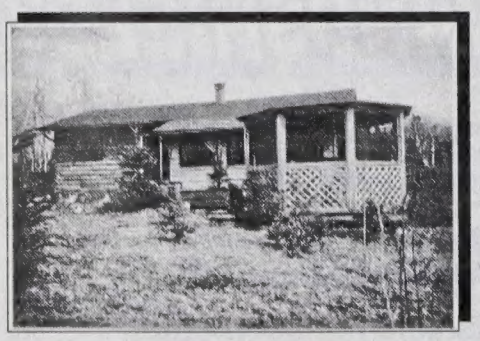

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